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## ALMA COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

Fine Exercises Marked the Thirtieth Annual Commencement of the Presbyterian School.

## TWENTY-TWO ARE GRADUATED

Announcement Made that Bible Chair Has Been Endowed and Another Made on Endowment.

The thirtieth commencement week at Alma college opened Sunday evening with the baccalaureate address at the Presbyterian church and closed yesterday with the commencement address and the graduation of twenty-two young men and ladies from the college and fifteen from the kindergarten department of the college. Favorable weather during the week drew large crowds to all of the exercises, which were exceptionally good this year.

The Presbyterian church, where the baccalaureate address was given Sunday evening, was packed, when the faculty, seniors and members of the finished kindergarten class, vended their way to the front of the church to the seats which had been reserved for them. Following several selections of special music by the choir, President Harry Means Crooks, LL. D., gave the baccalaureate address.

The address was based upon the text, "Behold, the Nations Are as a Drop From the Bucket," and was filled with good advice for those who have just departed from their college life to go out into the world, at a time when the world is facing conditions which it has never before had to contend with, and when their country is so greatly in need of brave souls in every walk of life.

In part, Dr. Crooks told those about to leave college, that ideas were undergoing remarkable changes in this period, that now the question was, how one could best serve the state, not how they could best serve the individual, and that business was not conducted for the individual prosperity, but for the prosperity of the nation. Continuing, he said that the food was prescribed for the nation, that individuality had surrendered to nationality.

He asked that the graduates be loyal to the United States, as the nation was one of the Lord's best, called to work righteousness, and that it was entrusted with great responsibilities. It helped France from decadence to unheard of heroism, it brought liberty to despotic Russia.

He also said that the government which counts itself master of the people must go down to the scrap heap, and called attention to the empires of the past, and in closing said that the nation which best serves humanity shall continue until earth's purpose is fulfilled.

His message to the graduates could readily be summed up in few words—he Americans, doing an American's duty.

Monday morning, President and Mrs. Crooks entertained the seniors at breakfast.

In the afternoon, the class day exercises of the kindergarten training department were held on the lawn, and were thoroughly enjoyed by a good sized audience. The exercises were perhaps the best that have been given in years by the K. G. girls. Miss Harriet Vittum of Chicago, who has made a specialty of settlement work, and is widely known throughout the United States, gave a fine address, which held the close attention of the entire audience.

The annual commencement recital by the pupils of the college department of music was given in the evening in the chapel and greatly enjoyed by those present. The recital consisted of twenty numbers by various students, who have been under the instruction of Professor Reese Farrington Veatch and Mrs. Bonnie Baird Replogle.

Immediately after the recital the senior class day exercises were given. The program consisted of a charming take off on Alma college, and the entire faculty was represented in the sketch by members of the class. The first act showed the deans office at Wright Hall, and gave a glimpse of the social life at the hall. The second act presented one of those conferences often seen at the college, this one being between Professor Mitchell and Miss Ballou. Act three gave a screaming presentation of a college faculty meeting, and was by far the biggest hit of the three-act sketch.

Tuesday evening, the annual senior promenade was held, at which time the departing college students made their farewells to the various structures of the college, to the grove and to the athletic field. A large crowd was present at the affair and greatly enjoyed it. Most of them afterwards attended the president's reception given at the home of President and Mrs. H. M. Crooks.

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## HE HAS APPEALED

C. H. Taylor Has Appealed From Conviction in Justice Court.

C. H. Taylor, who was convicted last week in a jury trial in justice court for speeding, has appealed his case to circuit court, the Record is informed.

Mr. Taylor and his attorney, Marcus Pollasky, do not believe that the ordinance under which Mr. Taylor was arrested is legal, and it is also thought that they have a few other cards which may be played. The report that he paid fine is evidently unfounded.

It was testified in justice court at the trial by Marshal Rogers, who made the arrest, that Mr. Taylor was going at least thirty-five miles an hour, and others also testified that he was going more than is supposed to be allowable. It is reported that Mr. Taylor himself does not deny that he was hitting the high spots at around sixty miles an hour, and that he was going so fast that the fence poles seemed to blur into a continuous fence from Sullivan's corner east to the city.

If one were to believe some reports it would be hard to believe that Mr. Taylor did exceed the speed limit, as it is said by some that he only hit about three spots in the road in traveling this mile west of the city, and one is supposed to travel on the road to exceed the regularly prescribed speed limit.

Mr. Taylor, who is from Detroit, is the consulting engineer for the Republic Motor Truck Company, Inc., and for a number of other large corporations of the country.

"Fatty" Arbuckle in "A Reckless Romeo"—Idlehour soon.—Adv.

## POPULATION GIVEN

## BY CENSUS TAKERS

6,066 People in Alma, Say the Takers of the Census, Which Indicates Fine Growth.

Alma is a city of only 6,066, according to a census of the city, which has just been taken in connection with the annual school census, and which the takers believe is correct in the main.

The ladies who took the census have been busy at the job for some few weeks and it may be that they have missed a few, who should have been counted in, as residents of Alma, but it is not believed that any who might have been missed will alter the count to any appreciable degree.

This count, while under the various estimates that have been made, indicates that Alma has been growing very rapidly, and holds fine prospects for the future. When the last government census was taken Alma had a population of 2,757, which shows a remarkable growth for the past six years. That most of this growth has come in the past three years is indicated by a census taken by school pupils a year ago, when a population of 4,125 was found. This would indicate a growth of about a third in just a little over a year.

"Mystery of the Double Cross"—Idlehour Friday.—Adv.

## LETTERS AWARDED

Letters for Athletes and Orators Given Monday in Chapel.

President H. M. Crooks of Alma college awarded the letters this year to the athletes and orators and debaters of Alma college. Fourteen letters were given for football, seven for basketball, eleven for baseball and two were given for tennis a year ago. Six letters were given for debate and two for oratory.

Football—Captain Johnston of Yale, Captain Elect French of Coleman, Hoolihan of Mt. Pleasant, Lott of Ithaca, Barabau, A. Foote and E. Foote of Grand Ledge, Fitch of Marquette, MacAuley of Calumet, M. Smith of Alma, Richards and Hebert of Detroit, Miller of Hudson, and Spooner of Ithaca.

Basketball—Richards of Detroit, Johnston of Yale, E. Foote and A. Foote of Grand Ledge, Gallagher of Bay City, M. Smith of Alma and French of Coleman.

Baseball—Captain Dewey of Caro, Captain Elect Fitch of Marquette, Boyne and Simminton of Marquette, Hebert of Detroit, Hoolihan of Mt. Pleasant, Ardis of McBain, and Vender of Alma.

Tennis—The Misses Edna Ward of Charlevoix and Wilhelmine Ritter of New York City.

Oratory—Thomas W. Wright of Detroit and Miss Adelaide Ballou of Stanton.

Debate—Beverly and Titus of Alma, Melvin of DeTour, Wright of Detroit, Kruger of Bay City, and Burch of Howell.

The Seniors Miss Ward and Miss Ritter were also presented with sweaters.

Those for Johnston and MacAuley were presented earlier in the year.

Those winning letters for the first time were also presented with the gold and pearl "A" pin, which was won by Miss Ritter, Miss Ward, Miss Ballou, Beverly, Wright, Burton, Kruger, Simminton, Boyne, Hoolihan, Lott, Barabau and E. Foote.

Watch for big piano sale at C. A. Sawkins Piano company.—Adv.

## ROBBER GANG ROUNDED UP

Officers Break up Gang Which Has Raided Several Central Michigan Towns.

## ALL WERE ARRESTED IN ALMA

It is Reported that They Confessed to Over a Score of Robberies in This Part of State.

Gratiot county officers in company with Detective Powers of the Republic Motor Truck Company, Inc., have broken up a gang of robbers, which has been operating through central Michigan for the past few months with considerable success, in the arrest last Friday night of Harvey Brown of Detroit in company with two women and the arrest on Saturday of Frank Randall, also of Detroit.

The operations of the gang have extended over a period of from four to six months, and by the confessions of the men, during that time they have robbed at least twenty-four places through this section of the state, and officers believe that they have robbed others, which are not accounted for. Included among their list of burglaries were the looting of five stores in Breckenridge, five stores in Riverdale, five in Ashley, five in McBrides and four in Sheridan.

Detective Powers Friday read of the reward offered at Sheridan for the arrest of the burglars and he made the rounds of the garages here seeking suspicious looking characters.

He located the parties and called on Gratiot officers, and warrants were quickly issued. Late Friday night they came upon the four in an automobile near the city hall. Randall, one of the occupants of the car, suspicious of the officers, quietly opened the door of the car and crawled around the end of the automobile and disappeared behind a garage. The officers placed the other man under arrest and held the two women, to sift their connection with the case.

Saturday, Undersheriff Clarence Wheeler located Frank Randall at the depot and placed him under arrest, and it is thought that the entire gang is now rounded up.

The four had been renting rooms in this city, and were supposed to have been married, but it is now said that they were not married and that one of the girls was only fourteen years of age. The investigations so far have failed to reveal any connection that the girls might have with the actual burglaries. It is said that the fourteen-year-old girl is Florence Sanford of Greenville. The other woman refuses to give her name.

At the rooms of the couples the officers recovered a quantity of loot, which consisted of diamonds, watches, money, kodaks, necklaces, revolvers, rings, knives, stickpins, etc., said to have been secured in the robberies of the parties during the past few months.

When arrested, Brown carried a loaded revolver and is said to have also had a pocket full of cartridges.

The men have been turned over to officers from Sheridan, where the reward was offered for their arrest, which will enrich the Gratiot officers and save Gratiot the trouble and expense of trying them in court.

## VOTE TO CONTINUE

College Trustees at Meeting Tuesday Decided to Continue Campaign.

At a meeting of the Alma college board of trustees, held Tuesday, it was decided to continue the endowment campaign of the college, by which the college seeks to raise its endowment to one million dollars by May 15, 1918.

The possible effect of the war situation and the campaign was discussed at great length at the meeting, and it was decided that the demand for college trained men was such, and would be such after the war, that the college should use every means to meet the demands which would come.

To properly meet the demands it was felt that the campaign should be continued, with such modifications as the changing situations might demand, and if possible secure the endowment that Alma college needs.

## CHAUTAUQUA IN AUGUST

The week of July 31st to August 7th, will be chaquetaqua week in Alma this year, as the Redpath chaquetaqua will return to Alma again on the above dates.

The Redpath chaquetaqua has offered fine attractions in past years and it is reported that it will come back to Alma this year with a finer program than ever before, assuring Alma people of a week that it will be stocked with treats in the way of brilliant attractions.

## AFTER SLACKERS

Sheriff Bradford is in receipt of a telegram from Governor Sleeper, asking him to hold all men between the ages of 21 and 31, who were not registered before June 12. All such slackers will be turned over to the federal authorities, according to reports.

## GIVE OUT LETTERS

Alma High School Athletes Awarded With Honor Letters.

Letters for athletics and for oratory and declamation were awarded this week at the high school—eleven letters being given for baseball, seven for track, one for tennis, two for declamation and one for oratory.

The letter winners follow: Baseball—Greenhoe, Howe, Mann, Stauffer, Bliis, White, Thompson, Hayward, Sartor, Sandel, F. Smith, Track—Hayward, Wheaton, Walker, Cash, Sadler, Herschberger, Declamation—Frank Notestein and Elsa Struble.

Oratory—Francis Priest, Tennis—Marie Banghart.

## COLLEGE ENTERTAINED

## AGRICULTURAL CLUB

Y. M. C. A. Lads Aiding in Increasing Food Supply Shown Fine Time by Alma College.

Last Saturday, one hundred and thirty of the agricultural club boys gathered from twelve Gratiot county towns and spent the day at Alma college. The boys were called to order in the chapel by the county secretary and Rev. Dunbar led in prayer. Professor Ventch entertained the boys with two solos for which they showed their appreciation in true boy style.

Dr. Crooks, president of the college, interested the boys by telling them of the events that led up to the United States taking part in the war. He also emphasized the need of increased food production and encouraged the boys in the part they were taking in it.

Dr. Phelps of Lansing was next on the program. He questioned the boys about the different steps taken in producing a crop. Then he called their attention to the fact that they were partners with God in their work and that their Partner by furnishing the soil, rain, heat, light and air was doing ninety-five per cent of the work necessary to produce crops. Therefore, they should share their profits with their Partner by giving some of their money to help his work along.

Mr. O. L. Smith, the prosecuting attorney, called the boys' attention to the great need of the county Y. M. C. A. committee had for an automobile for their secretary to use in traveling over the country and asked them if they did not want to have a hand in paying for it. The boys responded to this by ninety-two of them pledging to earn a dollar and raise a second dollar within a week after their school closed. The county Y. M. C. A. committee and secretary are much encouraged over this manifestation of interest and desire to co-operate on the part of the boys.

At noon, the boys gathered under the apple trees, back of Wright Hall, where with the college students they were served a splendid dinner. Much credit for the success of the day is due to Miss Albertson, Mr. Davies and their associates.

In the afternoon, a field meet on the weight basis was conducted, by Mr. Angell, county Y. M. C. A. secretary of Ionia county, and Mr. Holmer, the college coach. The participants were more than pleased with its success and President Crooks extended to them an invitation to come again next year.

Winners of the Field Meet. The winners of the club championship of the county:

1st.—Alma, twenty-one boys took part, their points averaging 54.4.  
2nd.—St. Louis, average points 52.2-3.  
3rd.—Riverdale, average points 50.  
4th.—Breckenridge, average points 48.7-10.

Winners in the 80-lb. Class.

1st.—Russell Pembroke, Alma, average points 79.4.  
2nd.—Eugene Wagner, Alma, average points 75.4.  
3rd.—Dale Ashley, Ashley, average points 74.

Winners in the 95-lb. Class.

1st.—Willie Fauster, Pompeii, average points 65.4.  
2nd.—Ralph Garner, Alma, average points 63.3-5.  
3rd.—Maynard Schultz, Middleton, average points 62.2.

Winners in the 110-lb. Class.

1st.—Roy Anderson, Breckenridge, average points 62.1-5.  
2nd.—Stanley Vliet, Alma, average points 53.3-5.  
3rd.—Rex Allen, Alma, average points 44.4-5.

Winners in the 125-lb. Class.

1st.—Fay Hill, St. Louis, average points 68.3-5.  
2nd.—Frank Bentley, Middleton, average points 65.2-5.  
3rd.—Virgin Martin, average points 57.4-5.

Winners in the Unlimited Class.

1st.—Jacob Burnham, St. Louis, average points 55.2-5.  
2nd.—Maxie Amon, Wheeler, average points 52.  
3rd.—Neil Brundage, St. Louis, average points 49.3-5.

Some of the boys' average points were low because they did not take part in all the events. This also accounts for some clubs having a low average.

Watch for big piano sale at C. A. Sawkins Piano company.—Adv.

## ALMA OFFICERS SEEK FORGER

A. Barnett, Alias A. Martin, Cashes Bad Checks and then Leaves in a Hurry.

## WAS ONLY MARRIED A WEEK

It is Alleged that Barnett Has a Wife in Lansing and Another in Detroit.

A warrant is out charging Arthur Barnett, alias A. Martin, with forgery, and officers are now searching for this young man who has had an eventful career while in Alma, it is reported.

It is said that Barnett came here from Lansing about six months ago. About a week ago he married a girl by the name of Hoover, who is said to have been fifteen years old. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoover, residing on Michigan avenue. The latter part of last week Martin forgot two checks on Rachel Smith, one for \$21.03 and one for \$24.75. The latter was passed on Medler's grocery and the first one on Luchini & Rudock. Mrs. Smith swore out a warrant for the young man, who had disappeared after cashing the "bum" checks.

It is alleged that Barnett has a wife in Detroit and rumor says that a woman in Detroit was also married to him.

It is expected that a reward will be offered for the arrest of Martin.

## S. W. CASE DEAD

Alma Man Suffered Stroke in Car Which Then Ran Against Tree.

S. W. Case of this city died Saturday near Fowlerville, at the age of sixty years. He had been a resident of Alma for seventeen years.

It seems that Mr. Case, in company with his wife and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nummer, were going to visit friends near Brighton. When near Fowlerville, it is reported, that Mr. Case suffered from a stroke, and that the car in which the three were driving was turned at this time and crashed into a tree. Injuries sustained along with the stroke, caused his death a very few hours after. Mrs. Case was injured severely, but the Nummer child was unhurt.

The body of Mr. Case was brought back to Alma and the funeral was held Tuesday afternoon, conducted by the I. O. O. F. lodge of which he was a member, Reverend Priest officiating, and interment was made in Riverside cemetery.

Mrs. Case had so far recovered that she was brought to Alma on Wednesday and is now confined to her bed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nummer.

S. W. Case was born May 4, 1857, in Livingston county. He was married to Miss Retta Bennett, March 2, 1899, at Brighton, and moved to Alma in 1900, where he has since resided. He is survived by his wife, a brother and a sister.

## A SHOWER

Friday, June 8, 1917, a miscellaneous shower was given Miss Ethel Colbeck at the home of Mrs. J. R. Wilson.

The house was very prettily and tastefully decorated in pink and white crepe paper, hearts, roses and carnations.

A contest, "The Wedding of the Flowers," was given, after which Miss Colbeck was led into a room and asked to travel the "Road to Matrimony," which was made of crepe paper bonds from one room to another. Along each side were placed all the gifts, and several signs. Miss Colbeck was told to take down every sign (signs which were very appropriate), and pick up every package. She had not gone far on the road when she was unable to carry any more, so made a train and pushed them ahead. She was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts of linen, cut glass, china and aluminum. After each package has been opened, twenty-seven guests sat down to dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake.

The color scheme being carried out in the refreshments. Everyone left pronouncing Mrs. Wilson, Hicks and Whitman royal entertainers.

Miss Colbeck has taught here over two years and has made a host of friends who regret having her go. Wednesday, June 20th, she goes to Detroit, where she will become the bride of S. H. Bernt of that city. Her many friends join in wishing her a long and happy wedded life.

## PROSPECTING

Jay Alverson of Ithaca, a former resident of this city, and E. A. Dean of Jackson, a prominent architect of that city, were in Alma Tuesday, looking over the city with a view of locating in Alma, engaging in contract and building business. Mr. Alverson has the reputation of a first class contractor, having been in the business here for years before going to Ithaca.

"Fatty" Arbuckle in "A Reckless Romeo"—Idlehour soon.—Adv.

## POULTRY AND PRICES

Agricultural College Advises Farmers in Regard to Poultry.

However much high poultry prices may tempt Michigan poultrymen, to sell their stock, should hang on to their laying hens, poultry specialists of the Michigan Agricultural college advise.

"Do not sell a hen if she is laying," the M. A. C. poultrymen say. "It is not intended by this to recommend that every hen in the flock be kept the year round whether she is a good producer or not. But she should be kept until she begins to moult."

"When moulting commences, then market every hen that has been an indifferent producer. A poor layer usually moults early. If a hen is found to be laying heavily during the months of August and September it may be taken as a sign that she is a good layer, and she should be kept over to breed from the following spring. Hens produce eggs in what is known as cycles. There is the fall cycle, which usually begins in November and lasts through December. After this comes a short resting period, and then the winter cycle starts, ending for the most part late in February. Another rest follows this, leading to the spring laying cycle. The spring cycle ends about the middle of May. Finally there is the summer cycle, beginning in July. This ordinarily, is one of the poorest producing periods of the year."

"Fresh grains and plenty of insect life induce the July and August laying. Feed a moist mash once a day from June 1 to September 1. This mash should contain equal parts by weight of wheat bran, corn meal, ground oats and meat or fish scrap."

## ALUMNI DEFEATED

## COLLEGE TEAM

Old Boys Picked on Crippled College Team and Nosed Out a Victory in 10-inning Game.

The annual Alma college alumni game was a big disappointment for the college team this year in that the Maroon and Cream lost to the old stars by a score of 8 to 6 in a ten-inning game Tuesday.

While the game was not as fast as many an alumni game has been, due to the fact that a number of the regulars from this year's team were not able to be here to play and because some of the expected old stars failed to appear.

However, Coach Helmer put a good team in the field for the old men, and gave the team of 1917 all that they wanted. Boyne, Simminton and Hoolihan of this year's team were unable to be on the job, crippling the locals badly.

The game was nip and tuck the entire route and it was not until the eighth inning that either team seemed to have it sewed up. At that time the old fellows smashed out four runs and took a three run lead, but in the last half of the eighth and ninth innings the 1917 lads tied up the score, making the old fellows travel an extra inning to cinch it.

Brilmyer pitched a good brand of ball for the old men. Johnston, twirling his last game for the college was not as effective as usual because of the fact that the college men have not been working out for the past few weeks, owing to the shortened schedule.

Runners .....12345678910 R H E  
Alumni .....00200004028113  
College .....0100101210684

Batteries—Brilmyer, Hoyt and Goodrich; Johnston and Fitch.

## BADLY INJURED

Miss Violet Lippert, a sister of mail carrier, Lippert, suffered a broken right leg Sunday when an automobile in which she was riding with her father went into a ditch near Breckenridge. It seems that Mr. Lippert turned out to give part of the road to a passing car, and that he turned too far, so that the automobile turned over into the ditch, pitching the occupants out and injuring Miss Lippert. Mr. Lippert also received injuries, one arm being badly cut. The Gratiot ambulance was taken to the scene and Miss Lippert brought to her home here, where she is recovering as rapidly as possible.

## WILL CLOSE OUT STORE

The Alma Music store, of which Smith & Maney are the owners, will be closed out as soon as possible, Mr. Smith, having other interests which demand his immediate attention.

He has charge of an estate at Traverse City and has also become connected with the Napoleon Motor Car company of Traverse City. Mr. Smith expects to continue to reside in Alma, although a great part of his time must necessarily be spent in Traverse City.

## DIED IN SOUTH

Miss Alberta Dunham of this city, who has been connected with New Orleans university for the past two and a half years, died Wednesday, following an operation, according to reports from that city. Miss Dunham had been ill for the past six months, being confined to a hospital for a greater part of the time. She was a former employee of the Record. The body will be brought to Alma and funeral held Sunday afternoon.

"Fatty" Arbuckle in "A Reckless Romeo"—Idlehour soon.—Adv.

## WILL GRADUATE LARGEST CLASS

Alma High School Will Graduate Class of Thirty-Nine Next Week at Commencement.

## GRADN WILL GIVE ADDRESS

Twenty-seven Will Be Promoted from the Eighth Grade—Exercises on Tuesday.

The twenty-ninth annual Alma high school commencement and eighth grade promotion exercises will be held next week, and at this time Alma high school will graduate the largest class in her history, thirty-nine young men and ladies finishing their high school course this year. Twenty-seven will be promoted from the eighth grade to the high school.

The commencement will be formally opened by the baccalaureate address which will be delivered Sunday evening by President H. M. Crooks, LL. D., of Alma college at the Presbyterian church. The services will be at 7:30 p. m.

Monday evening, the senior play will be given, "The Man from Home," by Booth Tarkington and Harry Leon Wilson, has been chosen as the senior play this year, and a strong cast has been picked for this unusually interesting comedy drama. The rehearsals have been under the direction of Miss Olive Smith, and an excellent rendition is assured. The play will be given at Wright Opera House at 8:15 p. m.

On Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the high school building, the closing activities of the week will be observed. President Crooks of the Mt. Pleasant Normal school, will deliver the commencement address. Mr. Graven has had a great influence in shaping the educational affairs in Michigan and is about to retire from active educational work. He delivers a forceful and instructive address.

At the close of the exercises in the auditorium the juniors of the high school will give a reception for the seniors and their friends in the gymnasium.

On Friday evening of this week, Superintendent and Mrs. A. F. Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith will entertain the seniors at the home of the superintendent.

The promotion exercises for the eighth graders will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, at which time Rev. T. G. R. Brownlow will give the address. The following twenty-seven young people will receive their certificates of promotion at that time: Ila Hodge, Stanley Knudson, Helen Kennedy, Ethel Landon, Helen Losey, Eva Mills, Bernadette Manning, Margery Miller, Harold Peery, Crystal Perrigo, Clayton Redman, Erma Stone, Leo Sova, Kenneth Wolfe, Forrest Avery, Norma Atkinson, Augusta Arnold, Ray Burt, Ralph Burt, Girdlen Breece, Earl Cross, Leona Cross, Frank Cooper, Nettie Enterline, Ernie Holmes, Philip Hardy and Percy Wilson.

## LIBERTY BOND

Number of Successful Loan Meetings Held the Past Week.

Tuesday, a number of meetings in regard to the Liberty Bond Loan of the United States government were held in the various plants of the